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Bernd Hansen	:	
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Serial No.: 10/517,204	:	Art Unit: 1722
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Filed: December 8, 2004	:	Examiner: R. B. Davis
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**REQUEST TO WITHDRAW HOLDING OF ABANDONMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the February 21, 2008 Notice of Abandonment, Applicant requests withdrawal of the holding of abandonment under 37 C.F.R. §1.181 since Applicant timely filed a response to the September 27, 2007 Notice to Correct Application Papers and since that Notice to Correct Application Papers was incorrect.

Enclosed is a copy of a Response filed on October 3, 2007, as evidenced by the enclosed postcard receipt. Since the Response was timely filed, the holding of abandonment is improper.

Additionally, the Notice was incorrect since the drawings filed on December 8, 2004 with the original application do not show solid or broken lines that are intended to be part of the drawings. The Notice appears to incorrectly refer to drawings that form a part of the marked-up copy of the substitute specification filed on June 5, 2005 and were not filed as substitute drawings.

In view of the apparent loss of the Response and the incorrectness of the September 27, 2007 Notice, Applicant requests that the holding of abandonment be withdrawn and the patent term adjustment 270 days in this application not be reduced.

No fee is believed to be required with this request. If any fee is necessary, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to change any such fee to deposit account 18-2220.

Prompt and favorable action is solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

Dated: February 25, 2008



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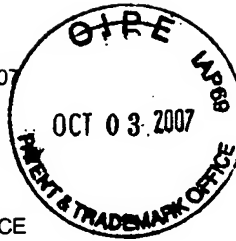


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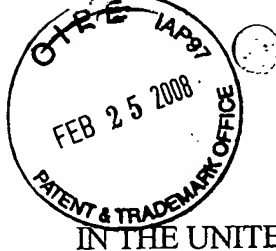
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**RESPONSE**

Mail Stop Issue Fee  
Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:


In response to the September 27, 2007 Notice to File Corrected Application Papers, Applicant submits that this Notice is incorrect since the drawings filed on December 8, 2004 and shown in the United States Patent and Trademark Office image file wrapper do not show solid or broken lines that are not intended to be part of the drawings. The Notice appears to be incorrectly referring to drawings that form a part of a marked-up copy of a substitute specification filed on June 5, 2007 and that were not filed as substitute drawings.

In view of the incorrectness of the Notice, Applicant requests that the Notice be withdrawn and that the patent term adjustment of 270 days in this application not be affected.

As a precaution, Applicant submits herewith a set of replacement drawings that are copies of those filed with the original application.

Respectfully submitted,

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